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CURRENT TOPICS.

IT cost Boston \$15,000 to entertain Queer

THE Soap-Box is a new paper in Spring field, Kan. EDWIN BOOTH has netted \$300,000 for his

eason's work. THE wedding veil of a recent Boston

bride cost \$2,000.

CYRUS W. FIELD began life at \$2 a week and now has \$20,000,000. TUCSON, ARIZ., has six insanity case.

due to the late earthquake. A BROOKLYN child has recovered \$4,000

from a railway for five fingers lost. Another bad marksman has been mak ing an attempt on the life of the Czar.

For the third year in succession the hop erop is declared to be an utter failure. Kansas has nine countres, each one larger than the State of Rhode Island. A RAILROAD is to be built across South

A FRENCHMAN has invented a telephone which costs but sixty-two and a half OSTRICH farming is prospering in California. Good feathers are fetching \$200 a

America from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

In the course of his career as a show-

man, Barnum says he has taken \$80,000,000 THE Mexican government has pensioned mother who "owns up" to twenty-eight

living children. Kansas farmers report that the red ants are waging a war of extermination against

the chinch bugs. NEW YORK has just given out contracts for \$16,000 worth of music in the city parks

for the summer. THE Czar of Russia allows no speak to him of his troubles. He does not elieve in being surfeited.

A SINGLE advertisement for a books deeper in a New York paper brought 120 Epplications for the position.

ROBERT J. BURDETTE, the genial humor-

ist, has been elected deacon in his Baptist Church, at Lower Merion, Pa. AUNT PATSET Bugs of Bugg's postoffice in Southwestern Kentucky, is 195 years

old and is still able to ride horseback. MOUNT HUGGING in New Hampshire is to have a summer hotel. It ought to riva Kissimmee, Fla., as a pleasure resort.

A PARK of ninety-two acres has been secured on the shore of Lake Ontario, near Niagara, for a "Canadian Chantauqua." THE Girard Trust of Philadelphia has

sent a cubic block of anthracite coal to the London exhibition, weighing 2,226 ALUM is now considered the best purifier

of water, making it perfectly clear and sparkling without giving it any alum taste HENRY BINDERBACK, a member of the

Greely Arctic expedition, has been appointed an inspector of customs at a salary of #4 per day. QUEENS seem to be trumps now. Victo ria is celebrating her jubilee year and Kapiolani has been to Boston, sampling

baked beans. Only that portion of the male population of Germany which suffers from de-formity or chronic illness is exempt from

An awful precedent has been established in New York by the arrest of a young man for being incorrigibly lazy and

TOPEKA, KAN., expects to have seventeen miles of street railway track before the close of the year. Dummies will be run on some of the streets.

THE Santa Catama mountains in Arizona are covered with petrified turtles, lobsters and clams. The mountains are 10,000 feet above the level of the sea.

THE great Lick telescope near San Francisco can not be got ready for use by the 1st of July, as had been anticipated, but will be much behind that time.

Cricago has a home for workingwome in which lodging is ten cents and breakfast five cents. The home is supported by ladies from different churches.

SECRETARY ENDICOTT has decided to do away with the practice of making military ners carry heavy logs for punish-He considers the custom bar-

MRS. GLADSTONE nearly always accoun panies her husband to the House of Com mons, and she never fails to wrap a stout comforter round his neck when he leaves ARBOR DAY appears far more than a mere

sentiment when we consider that it has already planted over six hundred million forest trees in States west of the Missis-A Pana (Ill.) man tied a cat in a bag and

took it to Morrisonville, more than twenty miles away, and there released it. Three or four days later he found the cat at his door in Pana. EVERY thing points to a "boom." The

hotel men in New York City say that they were never so short in accommodation for the crowds of business men who are there from all parts of the country. THERE are only three cities in the world

which have a larger Scandinavian popula tion than Minneapolis. They are Christiania, Stockholm and Copenhagen. Minneapolis has 50,000 Scandinavians. USANNA MEDORA SALTER, the new may

or of Argonia, Kan., is a spoilswoman of the deepest die. She proposes to turn out every horrid man in the municipal government and fill all the offices with women. A FREIGHT-CAR was left at Chippewa

was marked "perishable goods." When the agent opened the door after the de-parture of the train out walked four Parisians are wearing dress suits made

in one piece. The waistcoat has no back, the shirt consists of front, the cuffs are stitched into the coat sleeves, and a single set of buttons fixes on the whole con ANDERSON CRITCHETT, the celebrated

Annerson Cartonia, the Annerson Cartonia and the of \$35,000 probably the largest medical honorari m on record—to go to India to treat one of the native princes. After consideration he declined the offer. ONE of the Pittsburgh natural gas com

panies, whose plant is said to cost \$300,000, has an income from their gas of \$1,600,000. A CINCINNATI firm has just been awarded the contract for supplying the Indians with coats and vests. Lo has been a trifle short

in these garments for some time. A STRANGE coincidence recently occurred in a divorce case before a Massachusetts court. The defendant bore the historic of Daniel Webster. Strangely enough the woman who sued for divorce was Catherine Le Roy, which name was borne by the second wife of the great New Hampshire orator and statesman.

COMPETITIVE DRILL.

The Separate Companies Drill for the Prizes.

Believed the Toledo Cadets Will Carry Off the First Prize-Score of the Rifle Centest at 200 and

THE COMPETITIVE COMPANY DRILL. WASHINGTON, May 27 .- The National drill WASHINGTON, May 37.—The National drill amphitheater was crowded with people when the competitive company drills begun at ten o'clock yesterday. First came the Governor's Guard, of North Carolina. Their movements were very slow, but they did not excel in the manual of arms. The Louisiana Rifles drilled in such a manuer as to clicit much applause. The Sarsfield Guards, of Connecticut, in the manual of arms were excellent, but in military evolutions were

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Company B, Washington Light Infantry, came next and were received by the assemblage with great applianse. Their drilling, both in manual and marching, was excellent, and it was generally conceded that no other company before them had done near so well. Several serious errors were, however, credited to them.

The principal feature of the day, however, was the drilling of the Toledo Cadets, and a superb exhibition of the manual of arms it appeared to be. The movements

arms it appeared to be. The movements required of this company were more diffi-cult and complex than any thus far shown in the drill. Vociferous applause greeted their every action, and the cheering at times was so great that the judges were forced to order silence so that the captain's commands could be heard by the Cadets. The impression is universal that the first

The impression is universal that the apprize will go to Toledo.

Company A, Washington Cadets, the competing colored company of this city, followed. They made a very creditable appearance. Their drilling was above the average, and the spectators were quitefree in bestowing applianse upon the colored soldier boys. Their drilling was the best

of any colored troops yet.

Following this came the Merchants'
Zouaves, of Memphis, Tenn. They went
through the beautiful movements of the
Zouave's peculiar drill with grace and ac-

Zounve's peculiar drill with grace and accuracy. They made all sorts of figures, crosses and diamonds, and all odd-shape things imaginable. They were loudly applauded for their pretty work.

The Chicago Zounves next came on the field, looking very handsome in their pieturesque costumes. They were put through the entire manuel of arms, executing the movements with precision and case. After this the peculiar manual of the Zounve drill was begun, making such a pretty sight that the audience burst forth in a perfect storm of applause.

At about four p. m. the usual afternoon shower set in, the third that has occurred this week, at about that hour in the afternoon, and interfered with the carrying out

and interfered with the carrying out of the remainder of the day's programme Twelve or fifteen thousand people with

messed the drill.

The rifle contest in connection with the drill opened at the Arsonal grounds yesterday morning, thirty-eight officers and mon participated. The weather was very favorable for shooting, and some excellent scores, as the following twelve best will show:

The artillery practice drill in Athletic Park attracted quite a crowd. There were Park attracted quite a crowd. There were but two competing batteries, the Indianapolis Light Artillery and the Milwaukee Battery. They were not the Milwaukee Battery. They were put through all the tactics necessary to test their skill, and that closed the artillery competition.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Man Standing on Top of a Smokestack at the American Wire Works is Shot by a Fellow-Workman.

CLEVELAND, O., May 27 .- For two days past the police of the Euclid avenue sta tion have been investigating a shooting affray which occurred at the American Wire Works last Sunday morning. The officials and workmen at the wire mills retuse to give any information concerning the affair, and Thursday morning an officer was detailed to go to the works and demand a report of the affair from the superintendent. The patrolman learned that Sunday morning George Knierin and F. Horton

morning George Knierin and F. Horton were engaged in placing a lightning rod on the smokestack of the works. Horton was standing on the top of the stack, 105 feet from the ground, when he saw a black-smith employed at the works named Jackson run into a house near by and return in a mornant with a run, Jackson deliberate. nent with a gun. Jackson deliberate ly took aim at the man standing on the stack and fired. Two buckshot penetrated Horton's cap and one buckshot passed through his chin inflicting a wound that is not considered daugerous. Horton, when shot, lost hir footbold and fell, but retained shot, lost hir footbold and fell, but retained sufficient presence of mind to grapple at everything that might break his fall, and finally managed to hold fast to a scaffold, where he clung until rescued. Jackson and Horton have been good friends, and the latter cannot account for the assault. The affair was hushed up and ne arrests have been made.

Fitty Beeves and One Hundred Sheep Roasted at a Barbacue.

CHICAGO, May 27 .- Fifty beeves and one hundred sheep were roasted at Cheltenhan Beach yesterday for the barbacue held by nal Butchers' Association. Full 32,000 pounds of meat were roasted, a 32,000 pounds of meat were roasted, and six pits, each forty feet long and six feet deep, were required for the fires. All the butchers attending the convention here went to the barbacue and also nearly all the butchers in the city. The event attracted a great throng of spectators, and at one time in the afternoon there were more than 20,000 people present. The butchers and their friends had a royal good time at the barbacue with feasting, speech making and various jubilations, and returned to the city late in the evening.

-In Biddeford, Me., are two brothers, each named John Wesley. The elder, when a boy, was stolen by Indians, and after a time given up for dead and a tombstone was set up to his memory. In the mean time another son was born to the family and named after the first John, who some years after was returned to his family. two Johns are known in the family as "Our John" and "Indian John."-N.

MEXICO SHAKEN.

Severe Shock of Earthquake Causes at Early Morning Scare at the Capital. CITY OF MEXICO, May 29 .- At ten min utes to three o'clock this morning there was felt here a violent shaking of the earth, or sort of lifting motion, which lasted eleven seconds. Next there came prefaced by a low roar and accompanied by a stiff breeze, a violent oscillation of the earth from east to west, which awoke nearly every one, lasting, as it did, thir ty-nine seconds. Houses swayed as if hey were ships at sea, and persons aris ing from their beds were in many cases thrown with force to the floor. Bells were rung in the hotels, and everywhere doors were forced open. Then came still another oscillation of much violence, proceeding from north to south. shock crockery was thrown dow and pictures demolished in severa houses. Thousands of persons dresses themselves, and did not go to bed again Reports received to-day by Governor Ceb allos, of the Federal District, do not show any fatalities as the result of the earth quake, and the denizens of the suburbar owns report about the same sensation as were felt by the inhabitants of that a heavy shock had taken place. These instruments are self-registering, and prove that the shock of this morning

THE SPANISH PRETENDER.

was a severe one. At the office of Gov

ernor Ceballos it is reported that the shock was more severe than that of 1882.

The Government is taking measures to as-certain just how widespread the earth-

Excitement in Mexico Over the Report That Don Carlos Has Been Invited There

CITY OF MEXICO. May 29 .- The report published in American papers of a plot of the Church party leaders to bring Don Carlos here to head a movement against the Government has attracted much attention among politicians here, al-though little has been heard of the Government matter. it is declared that the country has never been more peaceful than to-day. Active railway construction is going on on two important railways, and work is soon to begin on the uncompleted section of the trunk line of the National railway. The only disturbance known is among the wild Indians in Yucatan; but there is always more or less trouble with them. Heavy investments of English capital are being made in mines, and an extension of banking facilities to interior towns is about to be made. A leading statesman said to-day that never before was Mexico so averse to revolutions or plottings as at this time, and that the people most of all desired peace.

Ben Perley Poore Dead.

WASHINGTON, May 29 .- The remains of Major Ben Perley Poore, who died after midnight last night, were taken away today. The funeral will take place at his ancestral home, Indian Hill, near Newburyport, Mass. He was born in 1820, learned the printer's trade, and when twenty-one years old assumed the editorship of a paper at Athens, Ga. He was their efforts to secure her release. She is afterward Secretary to the Minister to now sixty-eight years old. Germany, and on his return to this country located in Washington as th rrespondent of the Boston When the war broke out he enlisted in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. of Boston, and was commissioned Major His duty was the drilling of raw recruits in this city. In 1862 Senator Anthony appointed him clerk of the committee printing, a position which he held to his death. He was the compiler of the Con-gressional Directory. He was a thirtythird degree Mason, and only two men the United States outranked him in that order.

An Eight-Legged Curiosity. POWERGY. O., May 29.-A pig owned b W. Singers, who lives a short distance from here, has a natural head, neck an shoulders, with two natural bodies from the shoulders back, with two legs to each hind part, making four hind legs, with two fore legs that come out on the top of the shoulders, making in all eight legs. has two spinal columns and double sets cf ribs. The pig is several weeks old and

Postal Supply Contracts. WASHINGTON, May 29.-The Post-office Department has awarded to the American Bank Note Company, of New York, the contract for supplying postal notes for the next four years, and to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing the contract for supplying money order drafts during the same period. There were no other bid-

Rioting Over the Dead. PARIS, May 29 .- A scuffle between the police and a number of Communists took place at Pere La Chaise Cemetery to-day. The disturbers were easily routed. arrests were made. The affair grew ou of seditious utterances by the Commun ists, who were decorating the graves of heir comrades who were executed for complicity in the atrocities of May, 1871

Big Haul by Burglars.

NEW YORK, May 29 .- The residence of Dr. DeGroff, on the Weehawken Boule vard, in Hoboken, N. J., was robbed Sat urday night of \$700 in money, \$2,700 in Adams Express bonds and about \$15,000 worth of silverware. There is no clew to

GREENSBORO, MD., May 29 .- Peach grow ers here are excited over the ravages of the rosebugs among young peaches. Some growers say the bugs are swarming by the million over trees, and cutting the little

peaches into atoms

-"What is your name?" asked teacher of a boy. "My name is Jule," was the reply; whereupon the teacher impressively said: "You should have said 'Julius, sir.' And now, my lad," turning to another boy, "what is your name?" "Bilious, sir."

-Good mules are always in demand, and as they are more easily raised than horses it would probably pay to make a specialty of them on large farms where pasture is abundant.

DELICATE SURGERY.

A Burglar Passes Through a Severe Experience.

Windpipe. Coshocton, O., May 27.—Jacob Miller, who is confined in the county jail here for burglarizing a store at Evansburg a few nights ago, passed through a severe experday, while stretched on a couch in his cell, a fragment of a broken bottle, as large as a silver half-dollar, which he was holding in

his teeth, slipped down and lodged in his gullet. The piece of glass was sharppointed, and Miller's sufferings were indescribable. Twice he was placed under the influence of a powerful anæsthetic while attempts were being made to dislodge the obstruction. At last his physicians determined to undertake the difficult and hazardous opera ation known as cesophagotomy. Miller was made fully acquainted with the dan-gers of the operation, and the possibilities of his dying during its progress. He was however, anxious to assume the risk the metropolis. At the School of Mines Secretary Ugalde reports that the seismic instruments showed sure death if the obstruction was sure death if the obstruction was not removed. Yesterday afternoon the physicians succeeded in removing the cause of Miller's sufferings, by cutting a gash four inches long in the side of the neck, and opening the esophagus, where the piece of glass was found firmly imbedded among the membranes of that very important tube in man's anatomy. This morning Miller is in good spirits, and, if inflammation can be repressed, his physi-

cians give it as their opinion that he will fully recover from the terrible ordeal. Elections in Virginia.

NORFOLK, VA., May 27 .- The returns from orfolk County did not come in until 4 o'clock this morning, owing to a vast deal of scratching. The Republican straight ticket is elected by a large majority over the Citizens' or Fusion ticket. Asbury (colored) is elected Commonwealth's At orney, which is said to be the first time in the history of the State where a colored man has been elected to this position Portsmouth city elected the Democratic ticket by a large majority over the Labor ticket.

Brutal Treatment of Paupers

LANSING, MICH., May 27.—Bishop Gilles pie, of the State Board of Correction and Charities, has unearthed what promises to be a scandalous exposure of brutality practiced on poor house inmates. At a made a report of inspection, May 9, of the Berrien County poor house at Berrien Center. He says pauper inmates are pun-ished by whipping. Idiots and insane paished by whipping. Idiots and insane pa-tients are confined in the same apartments with other inmates, and there is a general condition of filth and foulness.

Innocent Woman in Prison Sixteen Years. has pardoned Mrs. Amelia Zimmerman, sentenced to prison for life in 1871 for the murder of her husband. She was convict. ed upon circumstantial evidence and Governor Rusk satisfied himself she is innocent. Her friends have been unceasing in

now sixty-eight years old. Jail Birds Escape Nicholasville, Ky., May 27. — Dan Thomas and Will Wilson, two negroes, escaped from the jailer this morning. Dan Thomas had been sent to jail for three years for striking Policeman Ford in 1885 and his time was nearly out. Wilson was in for one year for shooting Bill Buford. They went in the direction of Lexington. Jailer Welch offers fifty dollars' reward

Poland Closed to Foreign Jews.

BERLIN, May 27 .- Private advices from Warsaw state that the Russian Govern ment is extending to Poland the provision of the law forbidding foreign Jews to con duct business. A number of German Jew ish merchants, although provided with the necessary guild certificates, have been notified that they will not be allowed to continue trading.

Imported Fresh Fish.

WASHINGTON, May 27 .- Assistant Secre tary Maynard has informed the collector of customs at New York that fresh fish, when imported for immediate consumption are exempt from duty, no matte by whom caught or by whom imported but that if they are not imported for immediate consumption, they are subject to duty.

Babe Burned to Death.

LAWRENCE, KAN., May 27 .- About five o'clock yesterday afternoon the children of August Martin set fire to the house, and the baby, one year old, was burned to death. The father brough the child from the burning house alive, but it was so badly burned that it died in a few min-

To Take Part in the Marietta Celebration LANSING, MICH., May 27 .- Both houses of the Legislature have adopted a resolution to have the State participate in the celebration of the first settlement in the old Northwest Territory, to be held at Marietta, O., in April, 1888.

Hail-Stones as Large as Walnuts. Stoux City, IA., May 27 .- A heavy rain known for years, passed over this place the size of a walnut, and a great deal of

glass was broken. The extent of the storm is not known, but in its course growing crops were much beaten and damaged. Wealthy Farmer Stabs Another JACKSONVILLE, ILL, May 27.—In a dispute regarding a horse trade last night, John Cleary was stabbed by Wm. Duer.

Public Business Good.

WASHINGTON, May 27 .- The busine he Government, so far this month, indi cates a large reduction of the public The receipts to date are \$31,285,021; expenditures, \$20,546,833; surplus for nonth, \$10,738,188. The expenditures about 10,000,000 paid on account of

Saloons Closed.

TIFFIN, O., May 27 .- The town council of Green Spring has passed a prohibition

THREATENS TO STRIKE England's High Executioner Has a Griev

LONDON, May 26.—England's Lord High Executioner, more generally known as the Public Hangman, has a grievance which he is forcing upon the attention of A Large Piece of Glass Removed From His the Secretary of State for Home Affairs, and he has actually gone so far as to threaten to strike unless prompt atten-tion is given to his case. Under the old regulations in force at Newgate Prison, "Jack Ketch," as the hangman has been nicknamed for a couple of centuries received a salary of five dollars per week from the corporation in addition to a fee of fifty dollars for each swinging at which he officiated. Since the pass age of the new prisons act, however, the authority which has any control over him, although there is a general understanding

hangman's perquisites in the shape of permanent retainers have been abolished, and, as a matter of fact, there is now no that he has a monopoly of the business of ushering criminals into the great beyond. But the executioner has conceived the idea that his position should be officially recognized by the Home Office, and so he has made a formal demand that the name "John Berry" be placed upon the list of the civil servants of the Crown. When it is remembered that this list includes some hundreds of Earls and Dukes, Cabinet Ministers, a poet laureate, and other distinguished people too numerous to men-tion, the shock which the audacious de-mand has created in aristocratic society can be understood. Berry, however, is in real earnest, and as there are half a dozen murderers to be hung in different sections of the country during the next six weeks

KILLED AN INNOCENT MAN. John Vanderburg, Shot by Miss Anderson's

and nobody to hang them unless Berry is placated, the officials at the Home Office

are in a quandary.

Brother, the Wrong Person. ROCKVILLE, Mo., May 26.—The shooting to death of John Vanderburg in the court room yesterday during his preliminary ex-amination on the charge of outraging Jennie Anderson, is now believed to have been a horrible mistake, and notwithstanding the victim of some man's lust identified Vanderburg as the man, yet her indentifieation was of that uncertainty that usually fixes crime on the first person arrested Vanderburg was cooking for a camping party, four miles from the scene of the outrage, at 3 o'clock that afternoon, and at 5 he was again in camp. The coroner's jury censured the judge for not disarming and watching the Anderson boys and Ed. Evans, from whom something desperate was ex-pected, and they brought in a verdict of murder against Lint Anderson and Ed. Evans. The testimony shows that con-stables were watching these men. but were thrown off their guard by their composed manner while the judge was re-viewing the testimony. Scarcely had he pronounced "Hold the defendant in \$10,000 bond," than Lint. Anderson had sent two shots through Vanderburgh's body, and Ed. Evans fired two more. Friends of the murdered man have been found, and declare that they will prosecute to the

Commissioners to the Centennials.

Springfield, L.L., May 26.—Governor Oglesby appointed to-day as honorary Illinois in the Centennial Exposition of the Ohio Valley and Central States, to be held at Cincinnati: John Ulbuch, Decatur; Colonel Fred C. Pierce, Rockford; Orville A. Snedeker, Jerseyville; Daniel Berry, Carmi; Lorenzo Bull, Quincy. He has also appointed Dr. N. H. Smith, of Paris, commissioner for Illinois at the centennial celebration of the first American settlethe Ohio river, at Marietta, O., April 7. 1888; also in the Industrial and Edu al Exposition, etc., to be held at Columbus

O., in the autumn of the year 1888.

Died of Measles Aged 122 COLUMBIA, S. C., May 26.-Amy Avant jor James Reaves, in Marion County, died measles at the advanced age years. She was remarkably well pre up to the time of her fatal illness, previous to which she claimed that she had taken a dose of medicine. During the last cotton picking season she took her place regularly in the cotton fields, and always performed a good day's work. Her age is well attested by family records.

Decimation by Cholera.

PHILADELPHIA, May 26.—Chief Officer Gay, of the bark McLeod, of St. John, N. B., which arrived at this port to-day from Buenos Ayres, tells a frightful story of death from cholera in that portion of the Argentine Republic. He says that while his vessel was lying in the harbor of Buenos Ayres the people of that city and the suburbs were dying off like sheep, and the disease seemed to spread like wild-

O'Brien in Montreal.

pearing Editor O'Brien steamed into Bonaventure Station to-night there was an immense concourse of people in waiting, who took the horse from the carriage occupied by O'Brien, and amid singing of "God Save Ireland," the carriage was drawn to St Lawrence Hall from the balcony of which O'Brien made a speech.

Three Deaths from Yellow Fever. KEY WEST, May 26 .- The excitement of ance of vellow fever was revived to-day by the death of a cigar-maker named Mi

den, recently from New York. He was boarding at a restau ant where the sick-ness originated. This makes four cases ness originated. and three deaths. Youngstown, O., May 26 .- Last night, while walking along a railroad track at Niles, Miss Anna Jordan, of this place was struck by a train and hurled thirty feet. She had on a huge bustle, which, the doctor says, saved her life.

Greatly Reduced Rates.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.-The Pacific Mail Company has made a rate on wool in grease of 621/2 cents, and on scoured of 75 ents per hundred pounds to New York and Boston. This is a reduction, respec tively, of a dollar and a dollar and a half.

A Lawyer, While Arguing, Stricken. MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., May 26.—General Wadsworth, of Maysville, Ky., while making his argument in the celebrated and lies in a precarious condition. He is troubled with heart disease.

FULL OF FIGURES.

The Public Debt in the Past and Present.

nteresting Facts Gleaned From a Big Book Issued From the Treasury Depart-

WASHINGTON, May 25 .- A volume labeled Statistical Abstract of the United States" has just been issued from the Treasury Department. It has something over two undred pages, and they bristle over with figures. There is not a page in the whole book that is not crowded with figures from top to bottom. One page gives some interesting figures. esting figures on the public debt. They are especially interesting just now, because of the fact that the last of the three per cent. bonds are now called in, and our National debt is easily figured up. For the first time in nearly a quarter of a century the nterest bearing debt has fallen below a billion dollars. Omitting reference to the Pacific railroad bonds, our interest bearing debt is now \$957,967,500. Twenty-two years ago it was \$2,381,530,294. At that time the interest amounted to one hundred and fifty millions a year; now it amounts to forty millions. Then the debt was \$78 per head of population; now it is but a little over \$30 cach. Then the annual interest was \$4.29 per capita; now it is sixty-eight cents. Now we are paying four and a half per cent. on \$250,000,000, and four per cent. on the remaining \$737,000,000. Then we were paying seven and three-tenths per cent. on \$830,000,000 and six per ent. on \$1,484,000,000.

A PATRIOTIC IRISH WOMAN. She Drapes Her House in Black on Queen Victoria's Birthday.

NEW HAVEN, Ct., May 25 .- Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, of 256 Hamilton street, created a sensation in the lower section of the city, vesterday, by celebrating Queen Victoria's birthday in a very peculiar way. She draped the entire front of her house in black, and black streamers ornamented a portion of the interior. The front of the house was also decorated here and there with large mottoes not complimentary to the Queen. One of them read: "God save Ireland." "From the widow of John Brown." Crowds gathered in front of the house all day and night. The street was impassable for a block in the vicinity o house. The crowd was composed of Trish element throughout, and Mrs. Othe Irish element throughout, and Brien was cheered time and again. The cele bration wound up by the burning of effigies of the Queen and Lord Lansdowne. A huge bonfire was built, and while the efficies were being destroyed the crowd howled in joy and discharged an abundance of fire crackers. The section of the town in which the affair occurred is populated by Irish residents and no Orangemen were brave enough to show themselves to put a veto on the proceedings. The police were on hand to prevent unnecessary disturb-

Natural Gas Explosion.

Wellsville, O., May 25.—The Ohio Valley Gas Company, at New Cumberland, W. Va., were laying gas mains through the town. Last evening preparations were made to test the mains. Before testing, however, it was necessary to heat the pipe in order to make it fit a curve leading to the river. While this was being done and while the pipe was at white heat, some one accidentally turns the flow of gas. We natural element reached Wher fatal spot a terrific explosion occurred, scattering the huge iron mains in all di rections and tearing a large hole in the ground. The gas, which was let into the pipe at a pressure of 190 pounds, immediately took fire and burned to the height of twenty feet. Eight workmen and two when the sudden explosion took place

were terribly burned.

Militia Parade and Review. WASHINGTON, May 25 .- The National drill management made its grandest effort this afternoon in a street parade reviewed by the President. A careful count discovered but fourteen hundred and forty-two in ranks. This makes it certain that consid erably less than two thousand men is the full attendance at the drill. The Memphis and Vicksburg organizations withdrew from the line because colored troops had position ahead of them.

A Theater Horror.

PARIS, May 25 .- Flames broke out in the Opera Comique this evening during a per-formance. An audience of 2,000 were in the building a panic ensued, and the terror-stricken people began flinging themselves from the windows. Fourteen were instantly killed and dozens injured. An unknown number were burned and trampled to death. The theater was entirely destroyed.

The Royal Sandwichers Sail for Europe. New York, May 25.—Queen Kapiolani and their suites sailed this morning for Europe on the City of Rome. They were booked as passengers on the Celtic, but the accident to that ship changed the royal party's

A Family Drowned.

HAMILTON, ONT., May 25 .- John Thompson, wife, three children and sister-in-law were drowned in the bay to-day while out boating.

plans.

Poisoned on Canned Salmon. CENTERVILLE, IND., May 26 .- John Worth purchased a can of salmon last evening and with his wife and daughter ate it for supper. About midnight they were all taken dangerously ill, and it required the services of every physician in the city to save their lives. They are very low yet

from the lead poisoning. A Chinese Horror. UNION CITY, IND., May 25 .- Bow Hung murdered his nephew, Chang Lung, with a hatchet, and when discovered cut his own throat with a dagger. It was the re-

sult of a quarrel. Natural Gas Struck in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 25.—Natural gas was struck at the depth of 242 feet at the corner of George and Freeman streets this afternoon. The gas was ignited, causing it to throw a flame from an eight-inch pipe

Becoming Critical.

BERLIN, May 25 .- It is rumored that Count Von Munster, German Ambassador to Paris, is about to resign, ostensibly on account of ill health, but really because of the increasing friction between Germany

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY. -Hermosillo, Sonora, shipped six million oranges last year and expects to ship twenty-five per cent. more this year.

One of the industries of the boys and girls at Lowville, N. Y., is the gath-

ering of spruce gum. A great many make over five dollars a day. -Eight Englishwomen have been imported by a New York company to cut velvet—an art that is but little known n this country.

-A worn car wheel thread, examined under the microscope, shows that the surface of the metal comes off in thin

flakes or scales.

—The sugar trade of Batavia has taken great stride since 1880, the production increasing year after year. The crop of 1834 was the largest ever known, and that of the present year it is expected will be fully up to it.

The hop crop last year was about 92,000 tons, while the estimated consumption is 81,000 tons, leaving a surplus of 10,000 tons. Yet, as the hop

crop is sometimes very uncertain, prices may go up acan before the close of 1887.—Cleveland badler.

—A scientific to velty is a lens which magnifies, yet is perfectly flat on both sides. It is made at Jena by the manufacturer of Parkers. facturer of Professor Abbe's new optical glass. The lens consists of a single disk whose density varies so that its refractive power decreases regularly from the surface inward.

-In a recent lecture before the Royal Society of Edinburgh John Murray, of the Challenger expedition, said he be-lieved that, taking its size into consideration, there was no country in the world with a better record of scientific work or a greater mass of scientific literature than Scotland during the past twenty years. - Chicago Times. -There is not so much need of sand-

paper in the manufacture of furniture and all cabinet work nowadays, as the machinery used turns out very perfect work. It is estimated by one of the largest manufacturers of sand-paper in the country that not more than seventy per cent. of the amount of last year's business will be done this year. - Boston

-A vexing and unsettled question in physiology is, "Why are not the walls of stomach and intestines themselves digested by their own fluids?" Because hese tissues are living, was the answer of John Hunter in 1772, but Dr. J. W. Warren has just disproved this expla-nation by digesting the legs of living frogs in artificial gastric juice. - Spring

field Times. -Mr. Stephen Salisbury, of Worcester, Mass., has just given to the Technical Institute of that city \$100,000, to be used in the erection and equipment of a building for laboratories for mechanical, physical and chemical science as a memorial to his father, the late Stephen Salisbury, who for a great many years was president and

patron of the institute. - Chicago Trib -The invention of a new optical glass is said to be creating a sensation in the German scientific world. The glass, owing to its great refractory power, promises to be of marked influence in practical optics, inasmuch as it will admit of the production of lenses of short focal width, such as it has hitherto been impossible to obtain. For microscopia photography it will be of the greatest

importance. - Public Opinion. PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

-The old saying, "Worth, not wealth," means that you can't buy anything of Worth unless you have wealth. -A contemporary, noticing the marriage of a deaf and dumb couple, wittily and gallantly wished them unspeak-

able bliss. -"Mr. and Mrs. Bullion called this afternoon, sor." "Too bad; and we were out. Did they leave any mes-"Yes, sor; he said, Good, good; tell him I'm so sorry he were not

at home." -He (at dinner)-"May I assist you to the cheese, Miss Vassar?" Miss Vassar (just graduated) -- "Thanks, no! I am very comfortable where I am. But you may assist the cheese to me, if you will!"-Puck.

are you going, my pretty maid?" She -"I'm going a-milking, sir" (she said). He-"Can I not help you, my pretty maid?" She-"You can work the pump-handle, sir' (she said).—Puck.
—"Is the sermon done?" an old woman was asked as she was leaving the church. "No," was the prompt reply, "the sermon is preached will have to be done (and practised) by us hearers during the week."-Chicago

-A Division of Labor. -He-"Where

-"Ma, is Mr. Thompson respecta-ble?" "Certainly, my child. Why do you ask that question?" "Because he wears such poor clothes." "You should not judge persons by their clothes; none but silly people do that." "Then every-body's silly, ain't they, ma?"

"I see the school teachers are examining our children's eyes. They ought to examine their ears as well "Why?" "'Cause I saw five bo playing marbles to-day. They all stood within a yard of my window and within two yards of each other, and yet had to yell at each other as though they were a mile apart."-Pottsville

- "I may not be so eloquent as some of them," said the Senator from Mid-dlefork, "but when I make a speech nobody is able to answer it." "Very likely." replied the honorable Senator from Hampsex. "Did you ever hear of an echo to nothing?" The Senator from Middlefork is still ondering what the honorable Senato the left was driving at.—Boston T Published every THURSDAY by

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Washington Saturday night.

Hon. Daniel Manning left Liver- terprise. pool yesterday for New York.

duties of his important office.

A plot to assassinate the Sult: h irustrated.

The Ceredo Advance is now a

Dr. James A. Hanfiah, President of Farmer's National Bank, at Mt. Sterling, is dead.

L, W. Reid, of Virginia, has been United States Treasury.

Legislative race in this District.

Mayor Hewitt; of New York, has license the lower-class musical and

beery resorts of that city. car company burned last week, causing a loss of \$1,320,000. 1,200 horses were burned to death.

The President and Mrs. Cleveland, together with Col. and Mrs. Lamont, spent the past ten days in fishing at Saranca Lake, New York.

L. A. Wood has issued a call for a State Convention, to be held at Lagrange on June 17th, to nominate a Labor ticket for the State of-

The Louisville & Nashville Rail- platform than to the candidates. road Company is taking steps toward the building of a branch road Central Committee met at Lexingthrough Eastern Kentucky and into ton and mapped out the plan of the Virginia.

give Irish Editor O'Brien a grand port. reception on his arrival in New York next Tuesday. 100,000 men their ticket, but maintain their mawill take part in the parade.

A convict named Rowe, who escaped from the penitentiary at Erankfort a short time ago, returned to the prison after wandering two weeks, and asked to be taken State. back.

Lexington will be made the headquarters of the Democratic State Central Committee during the pres- Maysville soon. ent campaign. Address all communications intended for the committee to Hon. S. G. Sharp, Chair-

In the National drill at Washington last week, the Kentucky troops were more highly complimented and admired than any of the others.

The first prize was awarded to he Virginia National Guards.

Hon. W. H. Wadsworth, the late Congressman from this district, was taken suddenly ill at Minneapolis one day last week while arguing a case in Court at that place. He has since recovered sufficiently to allow his return to his home at Maysville.

Since the death of Mr. Beecher, a large portion of his regular hearers attend Rev. Talmage's church in Brooklyn. Talmage's congregation is thereby so much increased that he will build a wing to the Tabernacle in order to accommodate them.

Rev. Childress, the Republican nominee for Supt. of Public Instruction declined the numination, and the State Central Committee held a meeting to fill the vacancy; but failing to agree on a candidate the matter has been referred to the Executive Committee.

Wallace Christian, a citizen of Indiana, died last week. Just before his death, he confessed that several years ago he murdered and robbed his brother, and buried his body under the hearth-stone of their home. After the funeral the hearthstone was taken up and a man's skeleton was found beneath.

Kentucky never in her palmiest days had finer tratory of in greater quantity than she possesses to-day. When the great campaign barbecues Conley my interest in the Bto San- get fully ripe, in the next three or by News, and he will he reafter be four weeks, the Dethotracy are gothe sole proprietor. I desire to ing to do some of the wildest velling thank my friends for the liberal and highest hat throwing that has been seed in the present tentury .-

comply with your registst; but can short time since: not do so on account of the Inter-Major Ben. Perly Poore died at State Commerce Bill: It seems a new trial for Wm: Patterson, contract that statesmen can receive no fav-victed of the military of Jennie Bow-

"Tell ing not in mournful num-Treasurer Hyatt has assumed the bers" that the town is full of gloom tor the man's a crank that slumbers, iff these bursting days of boom. Life is real, life is earnest, of Turkey has been discovered and and the grave is not its goal; every dollar that thou turnest, helps to make the old town roll. But enjoyment, and not soffow, is but despurely home-print paper; filled with tined end or way; if you have no money, boffow-Buy a corner lot each day! Lives of great men all of the boulsville and Nashville railremind us we can win immortal road, and a party of prominent same. In this world's broad field The object is to choose a route for appointed Assistant Register of the of battle, in the bivourc of life, let the new road to be built in that sec-Though the election is near at be up and doing with a heart for al section in Kentucky; if not the hand, there is very little talk of the any fate; still achieving, still pur- richest of the character in the Unitsuing; booming early; booming ed States,-Courier-Journal. late.—Covington Enterprise.

set a good example by refusing to The Political Situation in Hentucky. of inviting Hon, John Sherman to

The Democrats in Kentucky must be on the alert to put forth Sherman come over to Kentucky The stables of a New York street- their best efforts for the August and look upon her fair women, taste election. It is manifest that the of her inimitable barbacue, and buck Republicans intend to make a vig- up against James B. Beck in a orous contest and will thordighly couple hours or so debate? Such a organize. In some localities the Prohibitionists are active and will twenty miles to witness .- Capital push their candidates with the zeal characteristic of a new party organization. The position of the Workingmen in the approaching contest is as yet uncertain. They ought to vote the Democratic tick- cent. et, as representing the leading ideas they advocate. In this locality they object more to the Democratic

On Monday last the Democratic campaign. Democrats all over the State ought to be ready to give the Arrangements are being made to committee hearty, undivided sup-

Democrats must not only elect jority.-Commonwealth.

Kentucky Notes.

Libretto won the Latonia Derby. Senator Beck will stump the

The debt of Fayette county is \$150,000 Two gas wells will be sunk at

The Maysville Eagle has discon-

tinued publication. Over five bundred houses are in

course of erection at Lexington.

A company has been organized at Richmond, Ky., to bore for gas. The work on the Maysville & Big Sandy Railroad is progressing nice-

The crops throughout Central

will soon be erected at Frankfort at cost of \$5,765.

An old-fashioned barbecue will be given near Lexington by the Dem-

to the Mammoth cave.

Republican candidate for the Leg-islature in Boyle county.

and hauling saw-logs to the E. K. R. R., so the sound of the ax can be slature in Boyle county.

last Saturday. Thos. Brennen has been arrested the murder of his brother-in-law,

John T. Downey. Ten different lines of railway are in process of construction throughout the State and over 1,000 miles

will be completed this year. A decision of the question of the removal of the Kentucky Wesleyan College from Millersburg to Win- tle rain would be a welcome visitor chester will be fendered June 1st. now.

Litchfield is under \$500 bond, Postmaster.

Wolfe and Menifee.

I also trust that the people will a statesman asked a prominent give to Mr. Conley a liberal support, railfoad man for a light for his ciwhich the following words were petitors, at the American Cattle printed: "Would be pleased to pleased to should be printed."

The argument on the inction for ors from railroads.—Covington En- man, was begun in the Circuit Court ed on us one day this week, looking at Louisville on Tuesday of last quite well.

week and continued until Saturday.

Hon. W. P. Taulbee, member of Congress from the Tenth district, having been called un tu nominate a candidate for the cadetship at West Point; to fill the vacancy now Springs last Saturday and Sunday. existing in that district's representation, has determined to select his

Mr. M. H. Smith, Vice President fame, let us leave the chumps officials, have gone on a surveying behind us, and we'll get there all the tour through Eastern Kentucky. us make the dry bones Fattle-buy tion by the Louisville and Nashville, a corner lot for wife! Let us then and will open up the richest miner-

> The Kentucky Republicans talk take part in the State canvass. Wouldn't it be a royal treat to have

> > Political Stork Market.

contest would be worth walking

Bradley, declining, no bids. Buckner, booming at 125 per

O'Doherty, unsteady, with indications to a heavy decline. Rryan, firm and rising, in good

Feland, unsettled, and 1 to 5 cints lower.

Harden rising and in demand. Davis, 95 and on the decline. Hewitt, in good demand at 195 Puryear, fluctuating, but prices anging lower.

Tate, very strong and active. Childers, nominal. Picket, in growing demand.

Tinsley, quiet and weak, very tew

Corbett, increasing very rapidly. -Covington Enterprise.

When Tom Hendrix, living near Knoxville, Tenn., was fifteen years old, he was whipped by a local bully named John H. Gallagher. The boy swore in the latter's presence that when he attained his majority CHICAGO, be would kill Gallagher. Last week he reached his twenty-first anniversary, and on that day recalling his oath, fulfilled the bond to the letter by riddling him with bullets. He confessed on arrest .-Courier-Journal.

WEBBVILLE, KY.

Van. Orsdale and John Underwood, of Bull's Eye Spring, have Kentucky are reported as looking been here contracting for saw-logs for the Brown Co.

W. L. Green, of Glenwood, was Judge Fontaine Fox, Prohibition here visiting relatives a few days

candidate for Governor, has mounted the stump.

A colored Normal school building by Revs. Hicks, Hylton and others. A large crowd was in attendance.
J. M. Webb and W. G. Peay, of Willard, were calling on us a few days ago. J. C. and Chas. Duvall, who have

ocrats on June 15th.

Over two hundred railroad and newspaper men are on an excursion been here for some time, have returned home to Gallipolis, O.

J.C. McGinley, of Portsmouth, was here last week soliciting orders

for Damarin & Co. Gen. Speed S. Frye will be the Webb have a contract for cutting

heard on all sides. The graves of the Confederate dead in Cave Hill Cemetery at Louisville were beautifully decorated left Fork.

Dr. G. W. Griffith and Abraham

Blythe have declared that the railroad shall not be built now, and in Franklin county, charged with have taken a large contract of ore digging.

The News is always a welcome

visitor here, and is steadily finding its way into many a household that heretofore did not realize the benefit of a County paper, LITTLE STAR.

GLENWOOD.

The weather is hot and dry. Lit-

Farmers are very busy working Daniel O'Reily, late Postmaster of their corn, Prospects are flattering literal is under \$500 bond. Elijah Rice has moved his saw charged with making false returns and stave mill to Straight Creek, where he will do a large amount of the cancellation of stamps while work for J. D. Williams, of Denton,

J. M. Oliver has been nominated for the Legislature by the Democrats day with several additions. Your of the district composed of the Scribe had the pleasure on Saturday counties of Montgomery, Powell, of seeing fine candidates immers ed. A large erowd was itt attend-

Wm. Prichard had the thisfor-

tune a few days back to lose one hundred dollars in cash. A liberal

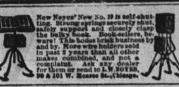
H. F. Riffe who has been suffer-

Springs last Saturday and Sunday. Wesley Webb has efected a nice awning in front of his dwelling, nominee by means of a competi-tive examination. ARE PEWTERBAUGH.



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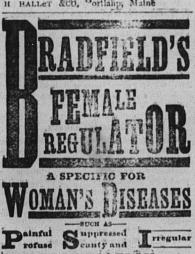
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Garden truck is flourishing.

Gunnell has returned from Fair-

Spring chickens are in the mar-

"Chautauqua," to-night at R. F. Vinson's.

Col, Northup went to New York

Capt. Freese is laid up with a sore foot.

Give the NEWS office a trial or

next Sunday.

Cincinnati.

We learn that Judge Burton will soon move to town.

Mrs. Leo Frank was visiting in

Callettsburg last week. We hear some talk of a brick ho-

tel being built here soon.

Mrs. Judge Ireland was a recent isitor at Col. Northup's.

Miss Phoebe Northup was visiting in Ashland last week,

W. T. Headley took a flying trip to the Blue Grass last week.

Mr. W. H. Waldeck made a tri to Johnson county last week,

Wat L. Andrews, of Catlettsburg, was in Louisa last week.

The recent rains were heartily welcomed by our farmers.

J. W. Story, of Cincinnati, was in this place a few days ago.

Sheriff B. C. May, of Prestonsburg, was in town last week.

Guff Wellman, of Catlettsburg, was in Louisa a few days ago. Miss Hannah Moore, of Staley,

was in and about Louisa recently. Boyd Ferguson made a trip to

was in Louisa Saturday and Sun- in honor of the occasion.

but the late rains have caused a

Revenue Collector, C. M. Preston, of Paintsville, was in Louisa last

U. S. Collector, Z. C. Vinson, of Catlettsburg, was in town this

Mr. C. C. Leffingwell has made an assignment to Mr. G. W. Littlejohn.

Washington, of Paintsville, were comfortable." Similar are the feelhere this week.

ard, of Catlettsburg, were here Sat- Ointment, s simple and never fail- man's heart is down his throat. uzday and Sunday.

Dr. Wroten's pupil's are prepar ing for an exhibition of tableaux vivants, to be given June 24th.

Rev. Elijah Petty will preach at the M. E. Church South on next Friday and Saturday eveniugs.

Marshal Sammons has been doing some needed work on the grade as Mercury will surely destroy the sense and streets. He does it up in style.

Trouble Ahead.

When the appetite falls, and sleep grows restless and unrefreshing, there is trouble ahead. The digestive organs, when healthy, crave food; the nervous system, when vigorcrave food; the nervous system, when vigorous and tranquil, gives its possessor no uncasiness at night. A tonte, to be effective,
should not be a mere appetizer, nor are the
nerves to be strengthened and soothed by the
vinaided action of a sedative or a narcotic.
What is required is a medicine which invigorates the stomach, and promotes assimilation of food by the system, by which means
the nervous system, as well as other parts of
the physical organism, are strengthened.
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founded firmly in public confidence, and
which physicians commend for its tonic, an
in-billous and other properties. It is used
with the best regulate in lever and ague, theimatism, kidney and uterine weakness, and
other maladies.

Mr. J. A. Hughes has purchased property on Franklin street and will soon begin the erection of a

Mr. F. W. Goff-returned last week

ership. We hope a good financier will be chosen.

C. W. Folsom, J. R. Foster, O.D. Millard, John Murray, A. P. McCoy and E. O. Jones, all of Portsmouth, were in Louisa within the past week.

The prospects for a large apple crop in this county are not very flattering. They are reported to be failing from the trees in large num-

Miss Annie Dawson, of Peach Orchard, was visiting in this city Saturday last. Mr. B. T. Dixon, our obliging depot agent, accompa-Milt Burns spent last week in nied her home.

Rev. Z. Meek, D. D. of Catletts-Easket Meeting at Richardson burg, assisted Elder Cook in the quarterly meeting at Garred Chapel last Sunday and preached at this place Sunday evening.

The Baptists gave an ice cream and strawberry festival at their at Judge Stewart's Friday night.

ening Cordial and Blood Purifier. bills due said firm shall be paid, \$1.00 per bottle. For sale by Freese and Norris.

The earliest home grown vegetasome weeks.

The result of the recent Teacher's examination shows that young people who aspire to teach in this counor out of it, and still be able to get first, or any other, class certificate.

Mr. Harry Lewis, of New York, has opened a tailoring establishment in the old brick, first door below the Post office. He is prepared
to do all kinds of work in his line,
in fact all throat and lung diseases. No ment in the old brick, first door be-Give him a trial.

Last Sunday there was quite a reunion at Capt. Freese's. The fami-Wayne C. H., W. Va., a few days lies of Mr Headley, of New Jersey, Mr. Frank Freese and Dr. Wroten, of this place, were present and en-Mr. C. M. Browning of Maysville, joyed an elegant dinner, gotten up

List of Letters in Louisa Post The river was fordable last week, Office, May 31st, 1887, unclaimed :

attended the quarterly meeting held by Elder Cook at Garred Chapel last Sunday. Some of the attrac-Mr. and Mrs. Hughes have return-ed from the "breaks" of Cumber-for our people are the sumptuous he could not turn bed, or raise his head;

Geo. W. Preston and Morgan shall forget it. It made me feel so Store. ings of the man who suffered with Piles and was made comfortable by Claude Graham and Lewis Prich- the use of Tabler's Buckeye Pile philosopher has said the way to a sufferes is sufficient.

THAT CONTAIN MERCURY,

as Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do are ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, mahufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains of the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in byery case, One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years' standing." Abrehem Hare, druggist

A Withdrawal.

Iner, Ky., June 1st. 1887. To the Democrats of Martin, Pike, from Mississippi, where he had ed from the race for Representative

A teacher's examination was held at Blaine last Friday and Saturday.

39 applicants were examined, with the following result: Three applicants received first-class, 5 were given as escand-class, and 16 got third-class certificates. The present board seems to be doing its duty in every respect and the prospects are good for a competent corps of teachers sieved and maple where the oak corner to wood and map A teacher's examination was held for a competent corps of teachers for Lawrence this year.

It is moving day with the worms after a dosa of White's Cream Vermifuge. They promptly seek new quarters, and the child so long a

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between L. B. Ferguson and M. F. Conley, as proprietors of the Big Sanpy News, is dissolved. The business will be continued by M. F. Notice is hereby given that the new church Saturday night, and partnership heretofore existing bethe M. E. Church South had a mite tween L. B. Ferguson and M. F. When nature falters and requires business will be continued by M. F. help, recruit her enfeebled energies Conley, who assumes the indebtedwith Dr. J. H. McLean's Strength- ness of the firm, and to whom all

L. B. FERGUSON. M. F. CONLEY.

Louise Michel. the French Anbles which have found their way to archist, would do the poor a real the table were raised by Capt .- or service if she would distribute Mrs.-Freese. Peas, potatoes and among them the far famed remedy beets have been plentiful there for known as White's Cream Vermifuge, the best preparation in the world for worms. It moves them speedily, and there is no other remedy which possesses its virtues of purity ty can not "loaf," either in school promptness and efficacy. Use White's Cream Vermifuge and no

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A large number of Louisa folks

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EXCITEMENT IN TEXAS.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex, by the remarkable recovfor our people are the sumptuous dinners which are invariably prepared on such occasions by the hospitable people of that community.

An old maid said, "I never was courted but once in my life, I never shall forget it. It made me feel so Store.

he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dip gof Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottle's of this Great Discovery for Consumption free at R. F. Vinson's Drug Store.

The entrance to a woman's heart is through her eye or ear; but a ing cure for Piles. A hint to such Good housewives understand this, and use J. Monroe Taylor's Cold Medal Soda. If there are any so Manufactured by JOHN F. STRATTON unfortunate as not to have tried it. 49 Maiden Lane, New York. unfortunate as not to have tried it, go immediately to your greeer and get a paper, and our word for it, it will make a heart as hard as adamant, soften and be joyful, and Beware of Ointments for Catarri the Gold Medal Soda or Saleratus. United States for three months on recent of Every dealer sells it, Depot 113

damage they will do are ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, mahufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure that you get the genuine, it is taken internally and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of execution No. 415, directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Lawrence Circuit Court, in Knott and Letcher counties: I Lawrence County, Pl'ff vs. Jno. Thomphereby announce that I have retired from the race for Representative and others, Defts., I, or one of my Deputies will on Monday, June 20th, 1887 ed from the race for Representative from this District, and shall here after cast my support upon Hon.

The government snag boats began work this morning, with Captains Hopson and McHenry in command.

We have not heard of any candidates for the County Commissionership. We hope a good financier

A teacher's examination was held should one o'clock p. m., at the Court House door in Louisa, Lawrence County, Kentucky, expose to Public Sale to the highest bidder, the following property, Kentucky, expose to Public Sale to the highest bidder, the following property, to satisfy the Plaintiff's debt \$1886.99 with 6 por cent. interest from June 30th. 1885 until paid, and \$45.60 costs,) to-wit: Three tracts of land lying in Lawrence County, Kentucky, expose to Public Sale to the highest bidder, the following property, to satisfy the Plaintiff's debt \$1886.99 with 6 por cent. interest from June 30th. 1885 until paid, and \$45.60 costs,) to-wit: Three tracts of land lying in Lawrence County, Ky., and described as follows: One tract, levied upon as the property of B. F. Webb, and supposed to contain 100 acres. The beginning corner on a maple at George Griffilth's line; thence with his line to the corner of Sarah Henselmann and the court of the county of B. F. Webb, and supposed to contain 100 acres. The beginning corner on a maple at George Griffilth's line; thence with his line to the corner of Sarah Henselmann and the court of the county of B. F. Webb, and supposed to contain 100 acres. The beginning corner on a maple at George Griffilth's line; thence with his line to the corner of Sarah Henselmann and the county of B. F. Webb, and supposed to contain 100 acres. The beginning corner on a maple at George Griffilth's line; thence with his line to the corner of Sarah Henselmann and the county of B. F. Webb, and the count sley's line on top of the hill to a dog-wood and maple where the oak corner

> Also, one tract beginning on a chest-Also, one tract beginning on a chest-nut, a corner of H. A. Geiger; thence with Geiger's line to Alex. Hicks'; thence with Hicks' line down the hill crossing the branch and up the hill to Levi Webb's line; thence with Webb's line down the point to Caney Fork continu-ing with Webb's to H. A. Geiger's line; Feourage to the division line between quarters, and the child so long a sufferer with the horrid things is able to join her playmates in their romps. The symptoms of worms in children are clearly defined, and familiar to every mother and White's Gream Vermifuge will relieve your child.
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> Notice of Dissolution.

Also, a tract beginning at 2 white paks Black oak on hill side near the hall alley branch; thence leaving said Cooksey line and crossing said branch N 4 W, 90 poles to a chestnut and chestnut cak qu hill side N 28 W, 20 poles to white oak and hickory and dogwood; N 17 W, 36 poles to 2 black caks and dogwood on hill side; thence crossing branch W to the top of ridge; thence with ridge to the beginning.

ning.
Sale will be made for cash in hand.
Witness my hand this May 30th, 1887. A. I. SHANNON, S. L. C.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of execution No. 437, directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Lawrence Circuit Court, in favor of L. Apperson, Adm'r, Pl'ff, vs. R. F, Vinson, Deft., I, or one of my dep-uties will, on Monday, the 20th day of June, 1836, about one o'clock, p. m., at the CourtHouse door in Louiss, Lawrence County, Kentucky, expose to Public sale, to the highest bidder, the following sale, to the highest bidder, the followin property, (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the Plaintiff's del 505.75, with six per cent, interest from March 7th, 1887 until paid, and \$14.3 coats) to-wit: About 4,000 acres of land lying on Rockcastle, part in Lawrend and part in Martin County. Levied upon as the property of R. F. Vinson.

TERMS:—Sale will be made on thremonth's credit, bond with approved so curity bearing interest will be required. curity bearing interest will be require

of purchaser, day of May 1887, A. L. SHANNON, S. L. C. JOHN F. STRATION, ttamunica

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of execution No. 407, directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Lawrence Circuit Court, in favor of Hood Bacon, Pl'ff vs. W.J.Pigg Deft, I, or one of my deputies, will, on Monday, June 20th, 1887 about 1 o'clock p. m., at the Court House door in Louisa Lawrence Co., Ky., expose to Public Sale, to the highest bidder, the following Sale, to the highest bidder, the following property, for so much thereor as may be necessary to to satisfy the Plaintiff's debt \$327.39 with 6% interest from Dec. 25th, 1884; also, \$106.98 with interest from Feb. 25th, \$885; also, \$61.40 with interest from Feb. 27th, 1885, until paid: and \$12.70 cosys,) to-wit: One tract of land containing 150 acres, situated in Lawrence Co., Ky., on the Trap Branch of the left hand fork of Little Blaine creek, adjoining the lands of John Spencer on the West side and Sam Thompson on the Least, purphased by Wm. Pigg from Abe

the West side and Sam Thompson on the East, purchased by Wm. Pigg from Abe Chrislip. Levied upon as the property of Wm. Pigg.

Ahove execution is subject to following credits: \$00 Dec. 3rd, 1884; \$100 April 27th. 1885; \$50 Jan. 20th, 1887.

TERMS:—Sale will be made on three months credit, bond with approved security bearing interest will be required of purchaser. Witness my hand, April 1sth, 1887.

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and commenced giving it to him. It surely worked wonders, for, in a short time, he was completely cured." Sold by all Druggists.

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 He waves a constant web
 Of quevilous complaint,
 He says the winds of FebRuary make him faint.
 He says the storms of March
 Are very hard to bear,
 That they would make an arch
 Bishop curse and swear.
 That april winds have TenDencies to colds and ough,
 And cruups and influenZa pick all the people off.
 The fickle airs of May
 He calls a fearful bore,
 On them he'll oft expaTiate and grumble sore.
 The "perfect" days of June—
 Theme of the poets' lays—
 He says no one but lun—
 Atics would ever praise.
 He says that he abom—
 Inates and hates July,
 And August makes him com—
 Pletoly resigned to die.
 He'd rather suffer lep—
 Rosy or want of breath.
 After the equince—
 Tial storm has spent its force
 The beastly month of Oc—
 Tober begins its course,
 And then the cold Novem—
 Ber comes with ity breath,
 And blustering Decem—
 Her makes him long for death.
 He whimpers like a babe,
 And makes a constant din,
 With him the angel Gab—
 Hei de lick he would get as mad as sin. And makes a constant fith him the angel Gab-Riel would get as mad as sin. —Tid Bits.

ROMANTIC ADVENTURE.

The Bold Rescue of a Captain's

Lady-Love. It was at Constantinopie. We found ourselves in a fleet of sixty vessels, of all na-tions. Ours was the only vessel flying the

American flag.

The time hangs heavily when ships are waiting for freights or winds to start them into active service. Pera had become dreadfully dull to us, and we had done up Constantinople and the surrounding country to tur heart's content. With the exception of an occasional dinner at the Consulate, there was no recreation to be had—no theaters or overas. A dozen of us tried to swim the A dozen of us tried to swim the sporus from the point from which Byron was said to have started. He must have eccomplished his feat in the summer, for

we signally failed in the attempt, owing to the temperature of the water, and were glad enough to be taken on board our boats Our only resort was a hotel which was kept by the wife of the captain of the port, who was in exile for murder. She was a

true type of Grecian beauty, a native of Athens, just such a person as the bard who Between the hotel and the landing where we took our boats for the ship was a distance of about three-quarters of a mile.

Most of the streets were guarded by gates, which were closed at night, when no one was allowed to pass—unless sailors, who with a few plasters could bribe the guard to open for them at any time. We never ventured to be out late unless we were a dozen or so strong; then we would sally forth, lantern in one hand and pistol in the other, ready to defend ourselves against robbers, who did not hesitate to take life. troubles arising among foreigners. The consuls were supposed to care for the interests of their own people. I saw a Greek stab and rob an Austrian captain within twenty feet of a Turkish guard, who did not interfere, and who showed less interest than he would have shown at a fight be-

The street which was our regular route either end. Blank walls about twenty feet high extended some five hundred feet along both sides of the street. Behind these walls were so ready in assisting us that we gave them another handful of piasters, and Pashas. We could only see the windows of the upper stories, the magnificence within one to follow us. They earnestly promised the upper stories, the magnificence within the comes at last to the lofty had been lovers in their childhood. She was the flaxen haired girl for whom my friend had pined so long. When they one to follow us. They earnestly promised the upper stories, the magnificence within was left to our imagination. As we were walking past one afternoon one of the windows was suddenly thrown open, and there appeared at it the most beautiful years. Bunning to the farther gate as quickly as the gate as quickly a oman I had ever seen. We were fairly bortified by her beauty. She had defied a possible, we repeated our former strategy oll-known edictin showing us her face, as

When we arrived at the landing the wedish Captain invited me on board his to it. We pulled gently upon the cord and drew down a ladder made of silk.

"you are married, and circumstances have ner. Then he sprang up the ladder and proved how much you love your wife. I am disappeared.

Colonel Granam, now cierk of the Court of Common Pleas, was custom house officer in charge of my ship at that time, and he lives

for his delay in not sailing the Swedish Captain was to say that he had discovered a leak in the ship's top side after he had loaded her, which made it necessary to careen her for repairs. It required much tact to avoid the captains with whom we had been in daily company, and to make excuses to stay ashore late every night. We stayed ashore to become well acquainted with the guards, whom we thought we could induce, by appearing to be half drunk and by a liberal use of money, to open the gates for us at any time. The first night we half staggered up to the gate, handed the guards one hundred piasters, and then showed them our empty pockets, whereupon they allowed us to pass through the gate, pointing to their hearts to assure us that no one should pass that way to moiest us. Each of us carried the usual paper lantern to illuminate the way, and we were well armed with pistols and cutlasses. During the day we had paced the distance from the gate to the spot where we might expect to find the thread, and we now had but to pace off the same number of steps in the darkness.

During the day also we had not failed to that deserved to be united to such lovels

nance or ner who so anxiously awated it.
On our return to the gate it was immediately opened when we had knocked and the
guard had recognized our English voices. Our letter to the !ady contained the follow-

Our letter to the !ady contained the following:

"The fifth night, counting from to-morrow, we will rescue you by a rope-ladder. At one o'clock we will attach a strong line to the end of your cord. Pull this until the ladder reaches you. The line will be sufficiently strong to bear your weight. Place the line over a hook or post, but do not make it fast. We will hold the end, so fear not. The line will be withdrawn after your descent, so that no une will discover the manner of your escape. There will be no moon. Before daybreak you will be on a vessel under way for England. If you can devise any other means or have any suggestions to make you can communicate as before, we will pass nightly until we have sworn to save you. One of us will ascend to assist in your descent if you desire it. May God, to whom you have prayed, nerve you to your task."

Word, but remained perfectly passive. I advised him to leave the cabin and get his ship under way at once. My boat's crew would assist him. The vessel must be outside the harbor, I said, before daylight, and before surrisc be well into the Sea of Marmora. And so we parted.

It was five d'clock when I reached my ship. Sleep was out of the question. The events of the previous few days were like a dream out of which I had just awakened. The consequences might have been serious to me. But I was always ready for adventures, and had been in many a predicament to assist in your descent if you desire it. May got the line will be withdrawn after your descents of the previous few days were like a fream out of which I had just awakened. The consequences might have been serious to me. But I was always ready for adventures, and had been in many a predicament to word the previous few days were like a fream out of which I had just awakened. The consequences might have been serious to me. But I was always ready for adventures, and had been in many a predicament to word the previous few days were like a fream out of which I had just awakened. The consequences might have been serious to

The next night we received the following answer:

"I will provide the ladder, which you will pull toward you by the cord. I have a trusted cunuch who will assist me, as his life belongs to me. Think well of the danger. I have hid right to place you in jeopardy. It case of discovery, a rope-ladder tipon you would prove your guilt-yeit would be seized and disposed of, none would know how except the headsman. Your crime and mine are punishable by death. My life is nothing, nor would I be missed, but you have loved ones at home. Should you change your mind on the night appointed, God have mercy upon me! I will not live to see the light of another day. I have often meditated this act. I have felt that God, to whom I have always prayed, would deliver me, and that I would be allowed to thank him in His sanctuary. If you do not that the cord you may know that I have been betrayed. If all is safe, the cord will be weighted with a silken purse containing jew6ls to reward you and to assist me in my escape. Should you not find this token it will be because I have been discovered. Then be on your guard against assassination. I shall not look for you until the hour named."

My friend, Captain H—, had fallen most desperately in love. I say desperately, because he neither slept, ate, nor drank; nor would he give me any rest. It was re-

nor would be give me any rest. It was re-assuring to me to see a fellow so far gone; I had thought myself the only one who could be so "cracked." He was always at my heels, and had become my shadow. I learned his whole history. The cause of his going to sea was the removal of a flaxen-haired, blue-eyed school-mate, who had been his beloved little friend from his earliest memory. Her parents had moved to Moscow, and thence, as he was informed, to Odessa, from which port he had last sailed, with a cargo of grain for Falmouth for orders. At Odessa he had made the most searching inquiries, and learned that a family of the same name had gone to Alexandria about six years previous. He had been, until our present adventure, remarkably quiet and diffident. He had told me that his diffidence arose from the fact that he was almost a woman-hater, and that he never expected to be happy until he found his early love, whom he last saw when she was eleven and he twelve years of age. His interest in the fair captive was doubtless aroused by the fact that she strongly resembled his early love.

The eventful night arrived. I gave a supper at the hotel to allay any suspicion. Suppor was ordered for twenty, and was served at eleven o'clock, which meant an all-night spree. Wine flowed freely and had its effect upon our friends. At twelve o'clock, by a preconcerted arrangement, a note was handed to me by a servant. I pretended that it had been sent by my second officer, and that it announced that my chief officer had killed one of the crew. Apologizing for my sudden departure, l mised to return as soon as possible and finish the night. My friend, Captain H insisted upon going with me. I protested, but he was obstinate, and finally, as the company insisted that it was not safe to go alone, we two left in company.

We arrived at the gate in our usual ap parently drunken condition, feed the guard liberally, and passed through. A few min-utes later we returned and had our cigars and lanterns lighted, pretending that the latter had been put out accidentally. They

more married, and circumstances have proved how much you love your wife. I am unmarried, and have fallen desperately in love. Help me by your advice. What shall I do? My ship is ready to sail, and the wind Is fair. I do not own the vessel or cargo and therefore have no right to detain her. Read, and tell me what to do."

As my own marriage had been very romantic, this affair was doubly exciting to me. The note was written in a good English hand, as follows:

"I know you are Christians, and will save me from this life of degradation. Entombed in this harem, from which there is no other way of escape, I appear on the properties of the captal my note. To the thread attach your answer. Death awalts discovery.

The night was spent in devising means of rescue. The captain swore upon the Bible that he would marry her if rescued, and if she would consent. Jewels are most prized when most difficult to obtain. I was in full sympathy with his feelings, and when the day broke our plan of action had been determined. I saw that he was unfitted to go to sea, his head being entirely turned, and the vising means of rescue. It is she will be supposed she had committed suicide, as sense of the ludicrous and her power of a boat-house near by.

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Among our friends we were to pretend that no importance attached to the missive which the lady-had thrown out. As a reason for his delay in not sailing the Bwedish Captain was to say that he had discovered a leak in the ship's top side after he had

buring the day also we had not failed to show ourselves frequently in the street to let the prisoner know we meant to communicate with her.

We found the thread and attached our note of reply, first putting out our lights to avoid discovery. Softly pulling the thread, we felt a gentle strain in reply, and the note of was pulled up, to reach, we prayed, the hands of her who so anxiously awaited it. On our return to the gate it was immediately opened when we had knocked and the guard had recognized our English voices.

her to accept him. She did not utter a word, but remained perfectly passive. I advised him to leave the cabin and get his

sailors live, on romance and daring. The excitement of this occasion was as exhil-The next night we received the following arating to me as champagne is to a wine-

In the morning I was visited by several of the captains who had been my guests of the night before. They had felt some feat for our safety when they learned that a conflict had taken place between the guard in the street we passed through and a band of Greek robbers. Two of the robbers had been killed. These must have been our pursuers, who, after we had eluded them, had returned and attacked the guard. They were overpowered by a company of soldiers from the fort, who were making their rounds to relieve the guard. Of course I knew nothing of what had become of the Swedish Captain. I assured them that he went safely on board, and was to have sailed at sunrise, and that, as the wind was fresh and fair I supposed he was off. I feigned an attack of rheumatism as an excuse for not going ashore that day. The following day our Consul, hearing I was sick, came on board. From him Flearned one of the wives of a Pasha of the army had made her received by the side of the wives of a Pasha of the army had made her escape by the aid, it was sup-posed, of the Greek robbers, some of whom had been captured and would be executed unless they told where their companions and the captive were to be found. It was supposed that she was held for a ransom. A rigid search was made on board all the Greek vessels, of which there were many lying in the harbor, but, of course, the

lady was not found.

Our Consul, I think, had his suspicions as to the manner of the lady's escape from the palace. He asked me to dine with him, saying that I, being a person so well known in Pera, would be missed if I did not go ashore and show myself at my usual resorts. I took his advice, and dined with him, remaining all night at the Consulate, which he insisted upon my making my home for the rest of my stay. He was too much of a gentleman to question me, whatever he may have thought, and I deemed it advisable, because of his official position, to keep him in ignor-

ance of my part in the affair. ance of my part in the aftair.

I will here give the sequel. Nine years later, while in command of the clipper-ship Dreadnaught, arriving in New York one day I made fast at my usual berth at the foot of as, for example, at the top of a lofty Rector street, when Captain Hope, a Sandy Hook pilot who was harbormaster at the time, boarded my vessel and told me that a Swedish brig was lying at Pier 8, and that her Captain was very anxious to meet me be fore he sailed. The Constantinople episode had nearly passed from my mind in the exciting years that had intervened. As soon as our gang-plank was hauled ashore a lady and gentleman came on board. I was standing on the quarter-deck with some custom-house officers and passengers. The lady, whom I ceed he must lift his whole body above gentleman followed suit. The pleasure attending this happy meeting was shared by all who witnessed it. It is needless to say that the pair were the Swedish Captain and the lady whom I had assisted to escape were not there, he could not rise above from Constantinople. That truth is indeed stranger than fiction is here exemplified.

After leaving Constantinople their jay was After leaving Constantinople their joy was parted as children her family went to Moscow, where they remained several years, and where she had the advantage of an excellent education and became a proficient cular power is secured by the taxing of the muscles, in the overcoming of obversal attention. She was courted by many, stacles to their freest use. Mental but won by none. Her father received the appointment of Consul at Odessa, but he we knew. Instantly as she appeared we saw her throw something over the wall, and then she closed the window. It was a note which she had thrown. We all rushed to pick it up. The prize was won by a Swedish Captain, who immediately pocketed it.

When we arrived at the leading the work of the bridge and the guards promised us that appointment of Consul at Odessa, but he gave up this place and migrated to Alexandria, where he became a grain exporter. This frequently necessitated journeys into the interior of Egypt, and his beautiful daughter was his constant companion. During one of these excursions their caradiant the showing us that the street nebody should pass them. Thus we had the field to our selves, with guards on either hand to protect us from interference. We are the became a grain exporter. This frequently necessitated journeys into the interior of Egypt, and his beautiful daughter was his constant companion. During one of these excursions their caradiant the provided and the street nebody should pass them. Thus we had the field to our selves, with guards on either hand to protect us from interference.

We returned to the spot where the purse lay. It was readily discovered by reason of its brilliancy, being worked in gold and varied the street nebody should pass them. Thus we had the field to our salves the became a grain exporter. This frequently necessitated journeys into the interior of Egypt, and his beautiful daughter was his constant companion. During one of these excursions their caradiant the provided pass them. van was assaulted by Arabs. The men were slaughtered and robbed and the women running of true love are themselves were disposed of among the chiefs. She fell to the lot of one who sold her into the of love. No personal character ever ship. We had been so intimate during our stay that the nest of our party could not take offense at this preference; but how anxious they were to know the contents of that note! I insisted that no gentleman could ask, nor would any divulge its consents, which justly belonged to its captor. Once on board, the note was opened, when an agitation seized the captain which made him appear to me like a lunatic.

"Captain," he said, handing me the note, "You are married, and circumstances have a star visible. The night was dark not a star visible. The libod of now ho sold her into the fell to the lot of one who sold her into the fell to the lot of one who sold her into the harder was rescued by us. The had great strength except through the rescue, they were married at Falmouth, after the note, and the libod of love. No personal character ever the new dark not the libod. The libod of love. No personal character ever the new dark not the libod. The libod of love. No personal character ever the new dark not the libod. The libod of love. No personal character ever the new dark not the libod. The libod of love. No personal character ever the new dark not the libod. The libod of love.

tents, and if any thing happened strike her as out of place or ridiculo she would afterwards describe it in t quaintest possible manner. In li manner she noted the personal pec liarities of her friends and acquain

ances .- Harpers' Bazar. In Search of Straight Goods. "Anybody pass here within an hour asked a Detroiter of a Wayne Cour

farmer standing at his gate. "Yes. "Man with a black horse?" "No; man with a white hoss," "Wasn't a tin peddler, was he?" "O, no. He was the editor of

agricultural paper." "How do you know that?" "Because he come out on purpose ask me whether potato planting or con cutting come fust. He's started a ne

paper and wants to git things reliable." -Detroit Free Press. —In an old valise belonging to O. O. Putney, a miner, who was killed by an avalanche at Bay Horse, Idaho, were found some faded love letters, a few bones and a note saying: "I wish these bones buried with me."—Philadelphia

In and near Canton are 125 temples. Every storekeeper has a picture of Confucius or of some other sage conspicu ously placed on the rear wall of his At these home altars incense is daily burned. The temples are usually filthy. A crowd of fortune-tellers gamblers, sellers of small wares and beggars infest the popular places. One of the temples has five hundred lifesize genii, all in a sitting posture, and each with a different expression or with hands in a peculiar position. One wise man had whiskers and a decidedly European east of countenance. Upon asking what god he was I was told that it was Marco Polo.

It was my first interview with Mark, and he seemed to be pleased at meeting me. At least a benign smile rested on his wooden face. Patience has its reward. Marco was accused of lying because he told of the customs of the orient, but now he is enrolled among the Buddhas and sits composedly among those five hundred gilded idols The god who holds up the moon was shown to me. The left arm is much

larger than the other. There is also a temple, a Tartar temple, I think, devoted to the five genii who come to the city on rams, bearing gifts of grain to the city. The rams were turned to stone and are there to convince the obstinate-five rough-looking stones, about as large as a man's head, showing that the rams were condensed when transformed. There is also a large bell here with a piece knocked out of the bottom. It was a tradition that whenever that bell should sound calamity would fall upon the city; and when the English and French besieged the city in 1867 one of their cannon-balls struck the bell. broke off a piece, and caused it to sound.

In sight of this temple is a tower built by the Mohammedans in the eleventh century. The next object of interest was the flowery pagoda, ten stories high, about twenty feet in diameter, and, with a great amount of carving on it.-Cor. San Francisco

THE ROAD TO SUCCESS.

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are helps, it can at least be said that the surest helps to progress are, as a rule, in the form of hindrances. If a man wants to attain to a great height in order to have an extended outlook, tower, it is by a series of hindrance that he is helped upward. At the base of the tower, as he enters it, he finds the first step of a stair-case standing there as a barrier to his progress. It is, to be sure, a barrier only six or eight inches high, but he can move never a pace onward or upward withimmediately recognized, came forward and that first barrier, or hindrance to embraced me with much warmth, and the progress. And then another similar barrier is before him. So, onward and upward, step by step, he is helped by these hindrances. If the hindrances is the same in well nigh every line of human progress and attainment. Musmits us to encounter-in order to their surmounting .- S. S. Times.

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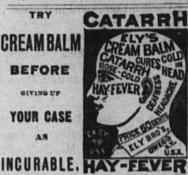
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